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8<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Dr Nerys Astbury  
University of Oxford

Dear Dr Astbury,

Reference	OX128
Title	Exploring the Long-term health Outcomes following a PrEgnancy with Gestational Diabetes Mellitus (ELOPE-GDM)
Chief Investigator(s)	Dr Nerys Astbury
Date Scientific Committee	8 <sup>th</sup> February 2021
Outcome	Approved
Date of approval	8 <sup>th</sup> February 2021
Duration of approval	3 years, until 7 <sup>th</sup> February 2024
Special conditions of approval	None

Thank you for submitting your application to QResearch.

### Scientific Opinion

The members of the committee taking part in the review gave a favourable scientific opinion of the application on the basis of the application form submitted to QResearch. The committee is satisfied that the research is appropriately designed in relation to its objectives and is likely to add something useful to existing knowledge in accordance with section 4.1.2 of the ethical conditions for QResearch.

<https://www.qresearch.org/media/1155/257790-18em0400-qresearch-conditions-of-ethical-approval-27122018.pdf>

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### Data Access

Subject to funding and relevant Data Sharing Agreements, the dataset requested will be provided to you.

### Approved documents

The documents reviewed at the meeting were

Document	version	Date
Application form	V2.0	3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2021
Letter from applicants in response to first review		3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2021

### Membership of the Committee

The members of the scientific committee who took part in the review are listed on the attached sheet.

### Annual Review and research outputs

We will contact you in 12 months for an update on progress with your research.

### Amendments and changes in responsibility

Any changes to the protocol or responsibility of the applicants for the conduct of the research should be notified to [QResearch@phc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:QResearch@phc.ox.ac.uk)



Prof. Rafael Perera  
Chair of QResearch Scientific Committee

#### Enclosures:

*List of names and professions of members who took part in the review  
Completed peer review forms*

*Copy to: Prof Julia Hippisley-Cox, Chief Investigator of QResearch.*

### Membership of the Committee

Name	Profession	Present
Professor Rafael Perera	Professor of Medical Statistics	YES
Professor Stavros Petrou	Professor of Health Economics	YES
Professor Julia Hippisley-Cox	Professor of Clinical Epidemiology & General Practice	NO
Professor Clare Bankhead	Associate Professor Epidemiology	YES
Professor Paul Aveyard	Professor of Behavioural Medicine	YES
Dr Mike Walton	GP, Chair of the QResearch Advisory Board	NO
Dr Paula Dhiman	Postdoctoral Researcher in Meta Research	YES
Ms Madhurima Bhadra	Lay Member	YES
Dr Rebecca Harmston	Lay Member	YES

Dr Franco De Crescenzo	DPhil Candidate, Honorary Psychiatrist	YES
Ms Jennifer Camaradou	Lay Member	YES
Dr Hui Guo	Senior Lecturer in Biostatistics	YES
Dr Koen Pouwels	Senior Researcher	YES

**Also in attendance**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position (or reason for attending)</b>
Ms Claire Meadows	Secretariat
Ms Rebekah Burrow	QResearch Senior Data Manager